MONDAY, MARCH 21, 2022

FIFTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

The House met at 5:00 p.m. and was called to order by Mr. Speaker Sexton.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Pastor Billy Couch, Noeton Missionary Baptist Church, Bean Station, TN.

Representative J. Sexton led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

ROLL CALL

	Present	88
	Representatives present were Beck, Boyd, Bricken,	
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EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following members have been excused, pursuant to requests under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Freeman; personal

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Representative Darby; personal

Representative Alexander; illness

Representative Camper; personal

Representative Moody

Representative Griffey

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Resolution No. 169 Rep. Reedy as prime sponsor. **House Joint Resolution No. 675** Rep. Mannis as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 766 Rep. Clemmons as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 931 Rep. Mannis as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 977 Rep. Clemmons as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 986 Rep. Miller as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 990 Reps. Hazlewood, Whitson, Mannis and Williams as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 813 Reps. Gant, Campbell, Cepicky, Keisling, Rudder, Williams, Faison, J. Sexton, Hodges, Lamberth, Grills, Hurt, Eldridge, Chism, Mannis, White, Carringer, McKenzie, T. Hicks, Cochran, Boyd, Hall, Weaver, Powell, Carr, Doggett, Curcio and Lynn as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1669 Reps. Miller, Hazlewood, Clemmons and Powell as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1814 Rep. Reedy as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1847 Reps. Faison, Hawk and Carringer as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1871 Reps. Zachary, Russell, Williams, Boyd, J. Sexton, Rudd, Lafferty, Reedy, Cepicky, Carr and Ragan as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1890 Rep. Hazlewood as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1901 Reps. Todd, Reedy and Terry as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1995 Rep. Lafferty as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2005 Rep. Hazlewood as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2050 Reps. Sherrell, Zachary, Kumar, Powers, Todd, Reedy, Carr, Gillespie, Littleton, Terry and Lafferty as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2058 Reps. White and Thompson as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2115 Rep. Hazlewood as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2179 Rep. Crawford as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2208 Reps. Sherrell, White and Clemmons as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2267 Rep. Crawford as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2273 Rep. Hazlewood as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2275 Reps. Crawford, Cepicky, Todd, Reedy, Haston, Lafferty, White and Littleton as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2293 Reps. Cooper and Thompson as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2354 Reps. Russell, Eldridge, Lafferty, Ogles, Crawford, Moon, Cochran, Faison, Towns, Sherrell, Reedy, Carr, Helton, Thompson, Hurt, Terry, Jernigan, Cepicky, Whitson, Carringer, Gillespie, Todd, J. Sexton, Williams, White, Love and Dixie as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2450 Rep. Hazlewood as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2466 Reps. Sherrell, Lamberth, Littleton, Bricken, Howell, Vital, Williams, Eldridge, Grills, Keisling, Rudder, Helton, Russell, Lafferty, Zachary, Cochran, Powers, Boyd, Faison, Ogles, Reedy, Cepicky, Todd, Lynn, Carr, Doggett, Ragan, Hawk, Hurt, Terry, J. Sexton and White as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2534 Rep. Carr as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2537 Rep. Lafferty as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2550 Reps. Todd, Carr, Whitson, White, Doggett, Jernigan, Gillespie and Hurt as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2582 Reps. Littleton, Helton and Moon as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2596 Rep. Jernigan as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2597 Reps. Miller and Jernigan as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2616 Reps. Miller, Jernigan, Helton, Lafferty, Terry and Chism as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2660 Reps. Russell, Eldridge, Reedy and Todd as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2694 Rep. Clemmons as prime sponsor.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 18, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 1147; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 18, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 856, 1196, 1197, 1198, 1199, 1200, 1201, 1202, 1203, 1204, 1205, 1206 and 1207; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED March 18, 2022

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 856, 1196, 1197, 1198, 1199, 1200, 1201, 1202, 1203, 1204, 1205, 1206 and 1207.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS March 18, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 927, 928, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946 and 947; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED March 18, 2022

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 927, 928, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946 and 947.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR March 18, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 749, 896, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925 and 926; with his approval.

KATELYN BROWN for JONATHAN SKRMETTI, Chief Counsel to the Governor

ENROLLED BILLS March 18, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bills Nos. 170, 1652, 2888, 2889, 2891, 2892 and 2894; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR March 18, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Bills Nos. 1195, 1362, 1392, 1693, 1708, 1845, 1848, 1866, 1955, 2240, 2414, 2587, 2881 and 2887; with his approval.

JONATHAN SKRMETTI, Chief Counsel to the Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bill No. 2916; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

Senate Bill No. 2916 -- Bristol - Subject to local approval, moves the election date for council from the third Tuesday in May to the first Tuesday in November; requires the budget and tax rate to be adopted by ordinance rather than resolution; authorizes the council to designate the location of its meetings by resolution; authorizes the recorder to levy a 5 percent penalty on delinquent taxes; changes gender specific terms for council members to gender neutral terms; makes other revisions to the charter. - Amends Chapter 84 of the Private Acts of 1991; as amended. by *Lundberg. (*HB2900 by *Crawford)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 850, 858, 1146, 1335, 1336, 1337 and 1342; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 850 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Eleanor Yoakum, Board of Directors of the Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation. by *Johnson, *Niceley, *Yager.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 858 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Dr. Phil Roe, Austin Peay State University board of trustees. by *Johnson, *Crowe.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1146 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Deborah Chancellor, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission. by *Powers.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1335 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Dr. Joe Deweese, Science Standards Recommendation Committee. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1336 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Leslie Clifton, Science Standards Recommendation Committee. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1337 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Nisha Powers, Science Standards Recommendation Committee. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1342 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Dr. Jodi Rump, Science Standards Recommendation Committee. by *Johnson.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 2016, 2531 and 2563; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

Senate Bill No. 2016 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, limits the liability of a person or entity that contracts with the department of children's services to provide foster care services to children in the department's custody in the same manner that the department's liability is limited. - Amends TCA Title 9; Title 29 and Title 37. by *Bell, *Walley. (*HB1847 by *Littleton, *Ramsey, *Farmer, *White, *Mannis, *Faison, *Hawk, *Carringer)

Senate Bill No. 2531 -- Tennessee Higher Education Commission - As introduced, removes the geographic or programmatic considerations when THEC adopts a dual admissions policy in which a person who satisfies the admissions requirements of a two-year institution governed by the board of regents and a public university while pursuing a degree program within a transfer pathway program of study is authorized to be admitted to both such institutions. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7 and Title 49, Chapter 8. by *Haile, *Bell, *Crowe, *Hensley, *Lundberg, *Powers, *White. (*HB2115 by *Eldridge, *Cepicky, *Lafferty, *Moody, *White, *Weaver, *Hurt, *Hazlewood)

Senate Bill No. 2563 -- Education - As introduced, redefines elementary school, for purposes of federal funding, as schools serving any combination of pre-kindergarten through grade six. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Crowe. (*HB1890 by *Haston, *Hazlewood)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 932, 927, 1348, 1349, 1350, 1352, 1353, 1354, 1355, 1356, 1357, 1358, 1359, 1360, 1361, 1362, 1363, 1367, 1368 and 1369; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 932 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Pete Claussen, Heritage Conservation Trust Fund Board. by *Johnson, *Massey, *Yager.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 927 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Todd Womack, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga advisory board. by *Johnson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1348 -- Memorials, Retirement Steve Bivens. by *McNally, *Bell, *Gardenhire.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1349 -- Memorials, Recognition Carol Eller "Candy" Stooksbury. by *McNally, *Bell, *Briggs, *Massey, *Yager.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1350 -- Memorials, Recognition K-9 Barnabas. by *McNally, *Briggs, *Yager, *Bell, *Massey.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1352 -- Memorials, Sports Ella Wampler, District 2-4A Second-Team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1353 -- Memorials, Sports Delaney Weddington, District 2-4A Second-Team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1354 -- Memorials, Sports Gatlinburg-Pittman High School girls' basketball team, district champions. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1355 -- Memorials, Sports Kyle Cloninger, Morristown-Hamblen High School East boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1356 -- Memorials, Sports Micah Simpson, Morristown-Hamblen High School East boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1357 -- Memorials, Sports Bereket Evans, Morristown-Hamblen High School West boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1358 -- Memorials, Sports Braden Ilic, Morristown-Hamblen High School East boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1359 -- Memorials, Sports Mia Dinkins, District 2-4A All-Tournament Team. by *Southerland.
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- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1360 -- Memorials, Personal Occasion Jim and Geraldine Wall, 60th wedding anniversary. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1361 -- Memorials, Sports Greeneville High School boys' wrestling team. TSSAA Division I, Class A State Champions. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1362 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Regina Hickman-Swinney, West Elementary School's Teacher of the Year. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1363 -- Memorials, Death Mildred Elizabeth Boyd Ashe. by *Walley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1367 -- Memorials, Death Donnie Ray Eblen. by *Yager.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1368 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Dr. Clay R. Good, public utility commission. by *McNally, *Bailey.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1369 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment Michael H. Ellis, public utility commission. by *Crowe, *McNally.

RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions were introduced and placed on the Consent Calendar for March 24, 2022:

- **House Resolution No. 170** -- Memorials, Recognition Keystone XL Pipeline workers. by *Powers.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 996 -- Memorials, Recognition Maury County 4-H Senior High Horse Bowl team, state championship. by *Cepicky.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 997 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement Garet Byrd, National Society of High School Scholars. by *Keisling.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 998 -- Memorials, Recognition The Butterfly Foundation. by *Byrd.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 999 -- Memorials, Recognition Blount Memorial Hospital, 75th anniversary. by *Ramsey, *Moon.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 1000 -- Memorials, Retirement Dr. Gary Skolits. by *Ramsey, *Moon.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 1001 -- Memorials, Death Marvis LaVerne Kneeland Jones. by *Hardaway.
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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS (Congratulatory and Memorializing)

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the resolutions listed were noted as being placed on the Consent Calendar for March 24, 2022:

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1348 -- Memorials, Retirement Steve Bivens. by *McNally, *Bell, *Gardenhire.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1349 -- Memorials, Recognition Carol Eller "Candy" Stooksbury, by *McNally, *Bell, *Briggs, *Massey, *Yager.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1350 -- Memorials, Recognition K-9 Barnabas. by *McNally, *Briggs, *Yager, *Bell, *Massey.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1352 -- Memorials, Sports Ella Wampler, District 2-4A Second-Team. by *Southerland.
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- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1354 -- Memorials, Sports Gatlinburg-Pittman High School girls' basketball team, district champions. by *Southerland.
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*Senate Joint Resolution No. 1367 -- Memorials, Death - Donnie Ray Eblen. by *Yager.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion, the following bill was introduced and passed first consideration:

*House Bill No. 2909 -- Bradley County - Subject to local approval, sets the minimum contract amount required by competitive bidding for general fund, board of education, and road department purchases at \$25,000 or more. - Amends Chapter 313 of the Private Acts of 1951; as amended. by *Howell.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED

On motion, the Senate Bills listed below, transmitted to the House, were held on the Clerk's desk pending third consideration of the companion House Bill as noted:

*Senate Bill No. 568 -- Health Care - As introduced, increases from 30 to 45 days the time within which a person issued a certificate of registration by the division of health related boards must notify the division of a change of address to receive a duplicate registration certificate. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Johnson, *Bailey, *Bowling, *Stevens, *White. (HB702 by *Lamberth, *Todd, *Zachary, *Williams)

*Senate Bill No. 2037 -- Drugs, Prescription - As introduced, requires a practitioner to discuss with a patient the risks associated with a Schedule II controlled, dangerous substance or other opioid pain reliever prior to the initial prescription and prior to the third prescription. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40; Title 53; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Gilmore, *Bailey, *Bowling. (HB2259 by *Harris)

*Senate Bill No. 2166 -- Trusts - As introduced, changes requirements for providing various types of notice concerning activities of fiduciaries; revises manner to authorize trustees and others to vote stock that is a trust asset; makes other changes concerning administration of trusts. - Amends TCA Title 35 and Title 48. by *Stevens, *Gardenhire. (HB2353 by *Garrett)

*Senate Bill No. 2182 -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, enacts "Noah's Law," which allows a custodial parent, under certain circumstances, to seek an emergency court order declaring a child to be in imminent danger of serious bodily injury or death and ordering the noncustodial parent to return the child to the custodial parent immediately. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 6, Part 1; Title 37 and Section 39-13-306. by *Haile, *Bailey, *Massey, *Reeves. (HB2354 by *Garrett, *Lamberth, *Littleton, *Curcio, *Powell, *Russell, *Eldridge, *Lafferty, *Ogles, *Crawford, *Moon, *Cochran, *Faison, *Towns, *Sherrell, *Reedy, *Carr, *Helton, *Thompson, *Hurt, *Terry, *Jernigan, *Cepicky, *Whitson, *Carringer, *Gillespie, *Todd, *Sexton J, *Williams, *White, *Love, *Dixie)

*Senate Bill No. 2295 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, makes various changes to the qualifications for certification as a medication aide by the board of nursing; permits graduates of certain nursing programs to perform the duties of a medication aide if certain conditions are met. - Amends TCA Title 63. by *Bell, *Bowling, *Reeves. (HB2545 by *Alexander, *Helton)

Senate Bill No. 2343 -- Railroads - As introduced, requires TACIR to conduct a study and make recommendations regarding the potential for passenger rail service linking the major cities in each of the grand divisions of the state. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 9; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 65. by *Yager, *Akbari, *Bailey, *Massey, *Reeves, *Yarbro. (*HB2380 by *Parkinson, *Windle, *Beck, *Hakeem, *Casada, *Ramsey, *Chism, *McKenzie, *Byrd, *Eldridge, *Hodges, *Freeman, *Haston, *Lamar, *Potts, *Mannis, *Vaughan, *White, *Love, *Miller, *Harris)

*Senate Bill No. 2352 -- Purchasing and Procurement - As introduced, allows that at least three competitive proposals or quotes, in lieu of competitive bids, be used for purchases costing less than \$10,000 by or for a county road department or by a chief administrative officer. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 14; Title 5, Chapter 21; Title 12, Chapter 3 and Title 54, Chapter 7. by *Powers, *Bailey, *Bowling. (HB2519 by *Sexton J)

Senate Bill No. 2356 -- Psychologists - As introduced, increases from three to four, the number of votes needed by members of the board of examiners in psychology to confirm that a person has passed the examination for a license or certificate to practice psychology. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 11. by *Walley. (*HB2207 by *Hicks T)

Senate Bill No. 2363 -- Education - As introduced, allows a student whose parent or legal guardian provides documentation evidencing the student's need for additional time to complete a TCAP test or benchmark assessment to receive up to 25 minutes of additional test time; requires the state board of education to promulgate rules to establish the grounds and requirements for a student to receive the additional test time. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Bowling. (*HB2461 by *Rudder, *Cepicky, *Weaver)

*Senate Bill No. 2386 -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, prohibits a health benefit plan from denying payment for emergency services if the symptoms presented by an enrollee of a health benefit plan and recorded by the attending provider indicate that an emergency medical condition could exist, regardless of the final diagnosis of the symptoms. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 23. by *Watson, *Yager, *Reeves. (HB2855 by *Kumar)

Senate Bill No. 2409 -- Public Health - As introduced, extends the period, from 10 days to 15 days, in which a county mayor must submit a slate of nominees for consideration as the county health director to the commissioner of health. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 2, Part 6. by *Johnson, *Massey, *Stevens. (*HB2156 by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Zachary)

Senate Bill No. 2430 -- Taxes, Sales - As introduced, extends indefinitely the reporting requirement to the department of revenue by certain wholesalers of food, candy, and nonalcoholic beverages regarding net sales of such products to retailers. - Amends TCA Section 67-6-410. by *Johnson. (*HB2180 by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Baum)

HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

On motion, bills listed below passed second consideration and were referred by the Speaker to Committee or held on the Clerk's desk as noted:

*House Bill No. 2903 -- Murfreesboro -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2904 -- Lewisburg -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2905 -- School Districts, Special -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2906 -- Petersburg -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2907 -- Cumberland County -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2908 -- Munford -- House Local Government Committee

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

The committees that met on **March 21**, **2022**, reported the following:

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

The Government Operations Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 1698, 2733, 2242, 2760 and 1895. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 1976, 2346, 2069, 1900, 1686, 2152 and 2184. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

CONSENT CALENDAR

*House Bill No. 1890 -- Education - As introduced, redefines elementary school, for purposes of federal funding, as schools serving any combination of pre-kindergarten through grade six. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Haston, *Hazlewood.

On motion, House Bill No. 1890 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2563**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Bill No. 2450 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, authorizes a member of the Tennessee consolidated retirement system to purchase, instead of obtain, retirement credit for all of the member's previous service rendered while a full-time employee and participating member of a political subdivision's defined benefit retirement plan; authorizes

the member to use funds from any source to purchase such retirement credit; makes other related revisions. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35; Title 8, Chapter 36 and Title 8, Chapter 37. by *Weaver, *Hazlewood.

On motion, House Bill No. 2450 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2812**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*Senate Joint Resolution No. 967 -- Naming and Designating - "Child Abuse Prevention Month," April 2022. by *White, *McNally, *Bailey, *Haile, *Akbari, *Campbell, *Reeves.

House Bill No. 2273 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, allows the retirement system to procure goods and services for a pension administration system that may replace the system currently in existence, subject to appropriation made in the general appropriations act. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 34, Part 3. by *Williams, *Hazlewood.

On motion, House Bill No. 2273 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2152**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*Senate Joint Resolution No. 954 -- Memorials, Recognition - Jones Act. by *Bowling, *Massey, *Niceley, *Pody, *Crowe, *Powers, *Watson, *Yager.

*House Bill No. 2115 -- Tennessee Higher Education Commission - As introduced, removes the geographic or programmatic considerations when THEC adopts a dual admissions policy in which a person who satisfies the admissions requirements of a two-year institution governed by the board of regents and a public university while pursuing a degree program within a transfer pathway program of study is authorized to be admitted to both such institutions. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7 and Title 49, Chapter 8. by *Eldridge, *Cepicky, *Lafferty, *Moody, *White, *Weaver, *Hurt, *Hazlewood.

On motion, House Bill No. 2115 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2531**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Bill No. 2898 -- Oakland - Subject to local approval, authorizes the establishment of schools; authorizes the hiring of attorneys for specific legal needs; requires the town judge to be a licensed attorney; shifts the responsibility of submitting an annual budget to the board of mayor and alderman from the mayor to the town manager; changes the bond requirements for contracts. - Amends Chapter 167 of the Private Acts of 1994; as amended. by *Gant.

*House Bill No. 2267 -- Auctions and Auctioneers - As introduced, excludes auctioneers licensed in this state from the definition of "marketplace facilitator" for purposes of sales and use taxes. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Hicks G, *Grills, *Littleton, *White, *Carr, *Crawford.

On motion, House Bill No. 2267 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2325**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Joint Resolution No. 796 -- Memorials, Congress - Urges and requests Tennessee Congressional delegation to support proposed germanium and gallium recovery and processing facility in Clarksville. by *Johnson C, *Hodges, *Reedy.

House Bill No. 1876 -- Codes - As introduced, specifies that a statewide building construction standard or another standard or requirement adopted by a local government shall not prohibit or limit the use of equipment with refrigerants, if the equipment contains a refrigerant listed in accordance with safety standards imposed by federal law or rule and is installed in accordance with the use conditions imposed by federal law or rule. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 120. by *Johnson C, *Vaughan.

On motion, House Bill No. 1876 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 1801**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Bill No. 2890 -- Coffee County - Subject to local approval, authorizes the legislative body of Coffee County to impose an entertainment event fee on the sale and distribution of tickets to events in the county with an expected attendance of 500 persons or more. by *Bricken.

*House Bill No. 2694 -- State Government - As introduced, requires the office of diversity business enterprises to publish an annual report on its website listing each state department's aspirational goals and achievements for businesses owned by minorities, women, persons with disabilities, and service-disabled veterans, as well as other small businesses. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9; Title 12, Chapter 3 and Title 12, Chapter 4. by *Miller, *Parkinson, *Camper, *Clemmons.

On motion, House Bill No. 2694 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2516**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Bill No. 1669 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires the Tennessee higher education commission to submit a report to the governor and speakers of the senate and house of representatives by December 31, 2023, on issues of food insecurity among students at public institutions of higher education in this state and that identifies and describes the efforts of the institutions to address food insecurity among students. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 49, Chapter 50; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8; Title 49, Chapter 9; Title 53 and Title 71. by *Jernigan, *Lamar, *Miller, *Hazlewood, *Clemmons, *Powell.

House Bill No. 2856 -- Springfield - Subject to local approval, reduces the number of readings required for the passage of ordinances by the board of mayor and aldermen from three to two; raises the monetary limit on purchases that do not require competitive bidding from \$4,000 to \$25,000. - Amends Chapter 158 of the Private Acts of 1927; as amended and rewritten. by *Kumar.

On motion, House Bill No. 2856 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 1658**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

House Bill No. 2005 -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, allows the massage licensure board to issue a temporary license to certain persons from other states or U.S. territories; establishes requirements for persons granted such a temporary license. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 18. by *Crawford, *Hazlewood.

On motion, House Bill No. 2005 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 1943**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Bill No. 2900 -- Bristol - Subject to local approval, moves the election date for council from the third Tuesday in May to the first Tuesday in November; requires the budget and tax rate to be adopted by ordinance rather than resolution; authorizes the council to designate the location of its meetings by resolution; authorizes the recorder to levy a 5 percent penalty on delinquent taxes; changes gender specific terms for council members to gender neutral terms; makes other revisions to the charter. - Amends Chapter 84 of the Private Acts of 1991; as amended. by *Crawford.

On motion, House Bill No. 2900 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2916**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Joint Resolution No. 813 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Dr. Katharine M. Hickie, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission. by *Crawford.

On motion, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 980** was substituted for House Joint Resolution No. 813.

*House Bill No. 2897 -- School Districts, Special - Pursuant to the request of the McKenzie special school district, permits the district to issue bonds or notes in the amount of \$4 million or less and to issue bond anticipation notes in an amount of \$4 million or less. - Amends Chapter 533 of the Private Acts of 1917. by *Darby.

*House Bill No. 2893 -- Sumner County - Subject to local approval, repeals the authority of the county to approve the creation and expansion of private cemeteries, with such authority to be exercised by the board of zoning appeals, the planning commission and in accordance with existing state law. - Amends Chapter 30 of the Private Acts of 1953; as amended. by *Lamberth.

*House Joint Resolution No. 675 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Eleanor Yoakum, Board of Directors of the Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation. by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Keisling, *Mannis.

On motion, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 850** was substituted for House Joint Resolution No. 675.

*House Bill No. 2179 -- Tennessee Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) - As introduced, requires TEMA to determine the number of emergency services coordinators necessary for each department and agency; requires emergency services coordinators to attend training; makes other various changes related to emergency services coordinators. - Amends TCA Section 58-2-108. by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Moon, *Crawford.

On motion, House Bill No. 2179 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2429**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Bill No. 2185 -- Financial Responsibility Law - As introduced, deletes provision that prevents a person from entering into a future payment plan if the person defaults on an installment payment plan for the payment of reinstatement or restoration fees for a license or registration that is suspended or revoked; takes effect on earlier of date that the department of safety's "A-List" driver license program is capable of implementing this act or July 1, 2022. - Amends TCA Section 55-12-129, by *Lamberth. *Gant. *Travis. *Towns.

On motion, House Bill No. 2185 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2435**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

House Bill No. 2710 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, authorizes the governing board for each public institution of higher education to classify a veteran or military-affiliated individual as a Tennessee resident for tuition purposes if the veteran or military-affiliated individual is enrolled in the institution and resides outside of this state. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 13. by *Ragan, *Cochran, *Garrett, *Lafferty, *Hazlewood, *Darby, *Keisling, *Whitson, *White, *Moody, *Doggett, *Gillespie, *Parkinson, *Moon.

On motion, House Bill No. 2710 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2486**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Bill No. 2725 -- Historical Sites and Preservation - As introduced, authorizes the chief executive of a city or county, with the approval of the local legislative body, to fill a vacancy on a historic zoning commission until the expiration of the vacated member's term and to remove a member from the commission. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 7, Part 4. by *Ragan, *Powers, *Crawford.

On motion, House Bill No. 2725 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2704**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*Senate Joint Resolution No. 776 -- Naming and Designating - "Certified Government Financial Manager Month," March 2022. by *Roberts.

House Bill No. 1814 -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee fish and wildlife commission to June 30, 2026. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 70. by *Ragan, *Reedy.

On motion, House Bill No. 1814 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 1733**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Joint Resolution No. 906 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Deborah Chancellor, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission. by *Johnson C.

On motion, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 1146** was substituted for House Joint Resolution No. 906.

*House Bill No. 1961 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, deletes references to insurance related to the former council on pensions and insurance. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 9 and Title 8, Chapter 27. by *Hazlewood.

On motion, House Bill No. 1961 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 1991**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

*House Joint Resolution No. 929 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Dr. Joe Deweese, Standards Recommendation Committee for Science. by *Lamberth, *Gant.

On motion, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 1335** was substituted for House Joint Resolution No. 929.

*House Joint Resolution No. 930 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Leslie Clifton, Standards Recommendation Committee for Science. by *Lamberth, *Gant.

On motion, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 1336** was substituted for House Joint Resolution No. 930.

*House Joint Resolution No. 931 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Nisha Powers, Standards Recommendation Committee for Science. by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Mannis.

On motion, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 1337** was substituted for House Joint Resolution No. 931.

*House Joint Resolution No. 932 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Dr. Jodi Rump, Standards Recommendation Committee for Science. by *Lamberth, *Gant.

On motion, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 1342** was substituted for House Joint Resolution No. 932.

*House Joint Resolution No. 766 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Encourages TDOT to collaborate with the Arkansas Department of Transportation, the United

States Department of Transportation, Shelby County, and the City of Memphis on the construction of a new bridge over the Mississippi River at Memphis. by *Towns, *Thompson, *Clemmons.

- **House Resolution No. 169** -- Memorials, Recognition Tom and Wendy Beasley. by *Littleton, *Reedy.
 - *House Joint Resolution No. 972 -- Memorials, Death James Opal Gray. by *Gant.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 975 -- Memorials, Recognition Chief David Green. by *Rudder.
 - *House Joint Resolution No. 976 -- Memorials, Death Michael Lee Aday. by *Terry.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 977 -- Memorials, Sports Jalen Ramsey. by *Terry, *Clemmons.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 978 -- Memorials, Recognition Tom Hill, Sevier County Rescue Squad. by *Carr, *Farmer.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 979 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Kerri Buckner, Sevier County School System PreK-4 Teacher of the Year. by *Farmer, *Carr.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 980 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Amber Elizabeth Dunlap, Sevier County School System 5-8 Teacher of the Year. by *Farmer, *Carr.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 981 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Samantha Satterfield, Sevier County School System Grades 9-12 Teacher of the Year. by *Farmer, *Carr.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 982 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Greg Clark, Sevier County School System Principal of the Year. by *Farmer, *Carr.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 983 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Dr. Tonya Berrier, Sevier County School System Supervisor of the Year. by *Farmer, *Carr.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 984 -- Memorials, Recognition Clarence Lowe, Good Scout Award. by *Powers.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 985 -- Memorials, Recognition Linda Agee, Elbert K. Fretwell Outstanding Educator Award. by *Powers.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 986 -- Memorials, Retirement Mayor A. Keith McDonald. by *Gillespie, *Miller.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 987 -- Memorials, Recognition Team BUSAR. by *Ramsey, *Moon.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 988 -- Memorials, Recognition James H. Lewellen. by *Vaughan.
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- *House Joint Resolution No. 989 -- Memorials, Retirement Assistant Chief of Police Dewel Scruggs, Portland Police Department. by *Lamberth.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 990 -- Memorials, Recognition Tennessee, the "Volunteer State". by *Sexton C, *Faison, *Hazlewood, *Whitson, *Mannis, *Williams.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 991 -- Memorials, Recognition Wallace Hardware. by *Eldridge, *Faison.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 992 -- Memorials, Recognition Officer Christoper L. VanArsdale and K9 Anthony. by *Gillespie.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 993 -- Memorials, Personal Occasion Billy and Janice Reeves, 60th wedding anniversary. by *Hicks G, *Campbell S.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 994 -- Memorials, Sports Wayne County High School Lady Wildcats basketball team. by *Byrd.
- *House Joint Resolution No. 995 -- Memorials, Sports Wayne County High School Cheerleaders. by *Byrd.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1209 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Dr. Sabrina McClard, Sumner County Schools Principal of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1210 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Jason Frech, Sumner County Schools Assistant Principal of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1211 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Linda Lanchak, Dr. Jennifer V. Brown Instructional Coaching Award. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1212 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Lucas Hilliard, White House High School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1213 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Jason Graves, Westmoreland High School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1214 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Kelsey Briley, Station Camp High School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1215 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Becky Horacek, R.T. Fisher Alternative School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1216 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Dr. Charles McCoin, Portland High School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1217 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Shauna Beach, Hendersonville High School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
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- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1218 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement William Smith, Gallatin High School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1219 -- Memorials, Public Service Chad Murphy, Beech High School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1220 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Valerie Beam, William Burrus Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1221 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Ginger Jones, White House Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1222 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Vicky Rippy, Westmoreland Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1223 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Meredith Lewis, T.W. Hunter Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1224 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Jennifer Kraemer, Station Camp Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1225 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Spencer Sparkman, Station Camp Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1226 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Stacey Brent, Rucker-Stewart Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1227 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Timothy Alan Coker, Portland West Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1228 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Sarah Combs, Portland East Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1229 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Daniel Mark Johnson, Knox Doss Middle School at Drakes Creek Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1230 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Angie Boone, Joe Shafer Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1231 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Dr. Louise Griffith, Howard Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1232 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Dawn Garrison, Hawkins Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1233 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Antoinette Cox, Ellis Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1234 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Stephanie Cook, Clyde Riggs Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1235 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Christie Coates, Westmoreland Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1236 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Hollie Briley, Watt Hardison Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1237 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Tricia Mabrey, Walton Ferry Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1238 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Maggie Friss, Vena Stuart Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1239 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Carrie Park, Union Elementary STEAM School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1240 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement James G. Monday, Portland Gateview Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1241 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Angela Isabell, Oakmont Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1242 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Julie Pullen, North Sumner Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1243 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Meghan M. Recinos, Nannie Berry Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1244 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Carol B. Smith, Millersville Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1245 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Valerie H. Trantum, Merrol Hyde Magnet School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1246 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Marlana Guyton, Madison Creek Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1247 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Melissa Owens, Lakeside Park Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1248 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Crystal Armstrong, Jack Anderson Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1249 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Pennie Ann Steele, J.W. Wiseman Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
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- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1250 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Kendra Coleman, Indian Lake Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1251 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Hannah Armistead, H.B. Williams Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1252 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Tiffany Lucas, George W. Whitten Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1253 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Natasha Montgomery, Guild Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1254 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Patricia Delk Rodgers, Gene Brown Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1255 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Amy Marie Oliver, Bethpage Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1256 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Douglas Watkins, Benny Bills Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1257 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Laura Chaffee, Beech Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Haile.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1258 -- Memorials, Sports Max Norman, Class AA individual state wrestling champion. by *Lundberg, *Watson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1259 -- Memorials, Recognition Food City 300 NASCAR Xfinity Series Race at Bristol Motor Speedway, 30th anniversary. by *Lundberg, *Crowe, *Watson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1260 -- Memorials, Recognition Food City. by *Lundberg, *Crowe, *Watson.
 - *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1261 -- Memorials, Death Mike Jerrolds. by *Walley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1262 -- Memorials, Recognition Pat Dooley, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1263 -- Memorials, Recognition Neil Marsteller, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1264 -- Memorials, Recognition Katelyn O'Dell, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1265 -- Memorials, Recognition Caroline O'Dell, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
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- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1266 -- Memorials, Recognition Lisa Rigg, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1267 -- Memorials, Recognition Kinnzie Grassman, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1268 -- Memorials, Recognition Mike Sage, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1269 -- Memorials, Recognition Karen White, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1270 -- Memorials, Recognition John Eneix, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1271 -- Memorials, Recognition Barbara Anne Lawrence, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1272 -- Memorials, Recognition Cathy Stone, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1273 -- Memorials, Recognition Becky Potter, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1274 -- Memorials, Recognition Stephanie Otis, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1275 -- Memorials, Recognition Hailey Nicholson, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1276 -- Memorials, Recognition Cindy Brombach, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1277 -- Memorials, Recognition Toni Corn, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1278 -- Memorials, Recognition Laurie Thompson, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1279 -- Memorials, Recognition LaShae Munsey, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1280 -- Memorials, Recognition Moriah Hensley, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1281 -- Memorials, Recognition Mara Miller, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1282 -- Memorials, Recognition Lauren Brombach, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1283 -- Memorials, Recognition Madeleine Smith, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1284 -- Memorials, Recognition Gabby Truitt, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1285 -- Memorials, Recognition Amelia Harrison, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1286 -- Memorials, Recognition Angie Morrisett, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1287 -- Memorials, Recognition Rebekah Bern, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1288 -- Memorials, Recognition John McDermid, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1289 -- Memorials, Recognition Tanja McDermid, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1290 -- Memorials, Recognition Haley Felts, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1291 -- Memorials, Recognition Isabella Brandon, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1292 -- Memorials, Recognition Adia Carr, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1293 -- Memorials, Recognition Todd Miller, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1294 -- Memorials, Recognition Abeni Kyle, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1295 -- Memorials, Recognition Bethany Thomas, Equine Welfare Network/Equus Foundation "Champion" volunteer. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1296 -- Memorials, Sports Coach Brad Woolsey, Greeneville High School. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1297 -- Memorials, Sports Reid Satterfield, Greeneville High School boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1298 -- Memorials, Sports Adjatay Dabbs, Greeneville High School boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1299 -- Memorials, Sports Kyler Hayes, Cocke County High School boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1300 -- Memorials, Sports Baylor Baxter, Cocke County High School boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1301 -- Memorials, Sports Terry Grove, Greeneville High School boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1302 -- Memorials, Sports Jackson Tillery, Greeneville High School boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1303 -- Memorials, Sports Brazen Stewart, Cocke County High School boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1304 -- Memorials, Sports Jordan Woods, Cocke County High School boys' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1305 -- Memorials, Sports Paige Neithammer, Cocke County High School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1306 -- Memorials, Sports Gracie Gregg, Cocke County High School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1307 -- Memorials, Sports Delana DeBusk, Greeneville High School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1308 -- Memorials, Sports Camryn Halcomb, Cocke County High School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1309 -- Memorials, Sports Sydney Clevenger, Cocke County High School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1310 -- Memorials, Sports Anna Shaw, Greeneville High School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1311 -- Memorials, Sports Jaylen Cofield, Cocke County High School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1312 -- Memorials, Sports Chloe Marsh, Greeneville High School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1313 -- Memorials, Sports Grace Hayes, Greeneville High School girls' basketball team. by *Southerland.

- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1314 -- Memorials, Recognition Dr. Larry Parrott, 50th pastoral anniversary. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1315 -- Memorials, Sports Lakeway Christian Academy Lady Lions basketball team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1316 -- Memorials, Sports Halli Stuffle, Lakeway Christian Academy, Division II-A, District 1 second team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1317 -- Memorials, Sports Kami Wilson, Lakeway Christian Academy, Division II-A, District 1 second team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1318 -- Memorials, Sports Nya Burns, Lakeway Christian Academy, Division II-A, District 1 first team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1319 -- Memorials, Sports Aubrey Laney, Lakeway Christian Academy, Division II-A, District 1 first team. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1320 -- Memorials, Sports Madi Hawk, Lakeway Christian Academy, Division II-A, District 1 All-Tournament. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1321 -- Memorials, Sports Maliyah Glasper, Lakeway Christian Academy, Division II-A District 1 All-Tournament. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1322 -- Memorials, Personal Occasion Roger and Jeanie Trent, 60th wedding anniversary. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1323 -- Memorials, Personal Occasion Joe and Carolyn Southern, 50th wedding anniversary. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1324 -- Memorials, Recognition Luke Myers, Youth of the Month. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1325 -- Memorials, Personal Occasion Ed and Blanche Murray, 60th wedding anniversary. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1326 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement Cannon Coykendall, 2022 Sevier County Science Fair winner. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1327 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement Manning Rentsch, 2022 Sevier County Science Fair winner. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1328 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement Lilly Lough, 2022 Sevier County Science Fair winner. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1329 -- Memorials, Retirement Greg William Eichelman. by *Southerland.
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- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1330 -- Memorials, Sports Lakeway Christian, dual wrestling state championship. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1331 -- Memorials, Sports Greene Devils wrestling team, state runner-up. by *Southerland, *Watson.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1332 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement Finley Takacs, 2022 Sevier County Science Fair winner. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1333 -- Memorials, Recognition Kristen Allen, Governor's Volunteer Stars Award. by *Southerland.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1334 -- Memorials, Death John Calhoun "Jack" Rice III. by *Walley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1338 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Koty Couch, Lewis County Middle School Teacher of the Year. by *Hensley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1339 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Richard Mears, Lewis County High School Teacher of the Year. by *Hensley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1340 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Haley Mitchell, Lewis County Elementary School Teacher of the Year. by *Hensley.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1341 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement Ginnon Kilpatrick, Lewis County Intermediate School Teacher of the Year. by *Hensley, *Akbari.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1343 -- Memorials, Recognition United Way of Greater Nashville, 100th anniversary. by *Gilmore, *Campbell, *Yarbro.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1344 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement Rian Fann, Valedictorian, Bledsoe County High School. by *Bailey, *Gardenhire.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1345 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement William Keener, Salutatorian, Bledsoe County High School. by *Bailey, *Gardenhire.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1346 -- Memorials, Heroism Deputy Randall Smith, Cheatham County Sheriff's Office. by *Roberts.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1347 -- Memorials, Heroism former Deputy Joseph Wehre, Cheatham County Sheriff's Office. by *Roberts.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1385 -- Memorials, Recognition St. Patrick's Day. by *Yarbro, *McNally.
- *Senate Joint Resolution No. 1387 -- Memorials, Sports Middle Tennessee Christian School trap team. by *White.
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Pursuant to **Rule No. 50**, Rep. Zachary moved that all House Bills having companion Senate Bills and are on the Clerk's desk be conformed and substituted for the appropriate House Bill, all Senate Joint Resolutions confirming appointments on the Clerk's desk be substituted for House Joint Resolutions confirming the same appointments, all Senate and House Bills on the Consent Calendar be passed on third and final consideration, all House Resolutions and House Joint Resolutions be adopted, and all Senate Joint Resolutions on the Consent Calendar be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	88
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REGULAR CALENDAR

House Bill No. 2659 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts - As introduced, requires that all contracts entered into by the Megasite Authority of West Tennessee be reviewed by the state building commission. - Amends TCA Title 64, Chapter 9, Part 1. by *Sexton C, *Rudd, *Williams, *Smith, *Sexton J, *Miller. (*SB2204 by *Walley, *Rose, *Jackson, *McNally)

Further consideration of House Bill No. 2659, previously considered on February 28, 2022, at which time the House adopted Amendment No. 1 and rest it for today's Regular Calendar.

BILL RE-REFERRED

Rep. Rudd moved that **House Bill No. 2659** be re-referred to the State Committee, which motion prevailed.

REGULAR CALENDAR, CONTINUED

SPECIAL ORDER

Without objection, Rep. Lamberth moved the House to take item no. 28, House Bill No. 2864, out of order at this time as follows:

*House Bill No. 2864 -- Open Meetings - As introduced, removes authorization for certain municipalities to hold public meetings in which some members of the governing body are participating electronically; adds requirements for notice, public access, and public participation for public meetings of governing bodies of state boards, agencies, and commissions in which some members are participating electronically; removes a member of such governing body if the member physically attends less than 50 percent of the body's meetings in a two-year period. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 44. by *Rudd. (SB2889 by *Gardenhire)

Rep. Rudd moved that House Bill No. 2864 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Keisling moved adoption of State Government Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2864 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-44-108(a)(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead:
 - (1) "Governing body" means the governing body of a board, agency, or commission of state government, including state debt issuers;
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-44-108(a), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:
 - () "Electronic means of communication" means communication by video conference or audio conference and may include the use of an internet-based platform, but does not include email;
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-44-108(c), is amended by deleting subdivision (2) and inserting the following subdivisions and renumbering the subsequent subdivisions accordingly:
 - (2) If a meeting will be conducted permitting participation by members by electronic means of communication, then the governing body shall allow members of the public who are not in attendance at the physical location of the meeting to:

(A)

(i) View and listen to the meeting by electronic means in real time, if the meeting is conducted using video conference; or

- (ii) Listen to the meeting by electronic means in real time, if the meeting is conducted with audio only with no video; and
- (B) Participate or provide comment by electronic means of communication, if participation or public comment would normally be allowed at the meeting.
- (3) A notice required by this part or other law and the agenda for the meeting must:
 - (A) State that the meeting will include members of the governing body who are participating by electronic means of communication;
 - (B) Contain information necessary for members of the public to access the meeting by electronic means to view or listen; and
 - (C) Contain instructions on how to provide public comment by electronic means of communication, which may include contacting the governing body or registering in advance to receive information enabling a person to provide public comment by electronic means. This subdivision (c)(3)(C) does not require a governing body to allow public comment as part of its meetings or alter its rules for public comment or public participation in a meeting.
- (4) A governing body that conducts a meeting allowing participation by electronic means of communication shall make a recording of the meeting, and post the recording or a link to the recording on its website that contains information about the governing body and its meetings. The governing body shall post the recording or link to the recording as soon as possible but no later than three (3) business days after the meeting. The governing body shall retain the recording or link for at least three (3) years after the recording was created.
- SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-44-108(d), is amended by deleting the last sentence of the subsection and substituting instead:

Subdivisions (c)(1)-(6) apply to meetings held pursuant to this subsection (d).

SECTION 5. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, State Government Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Rudd moved that **House Bill No. 2864**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	85
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--85

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REGULAR CALENDAR, CONTINUED

House Bill No. 2160 -- Marriage - As introduced, authorizes clerks of court, registers of deeds, and assessors of property and trustees of this state to solemnize the rite of matrimony. - Amends TCA Section 36-3-301. by *Whitson. (*SB2112 by *Yager)

BILL HELD ON DESK

Rep. Whitson moved that **House Bill No. 2160** be held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

REGULAR CALENDAR, CONTINUED

*House Bill No. 1847 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, limits the liability of a person or entity that contracts with the department of children's services to provide foster care services to children in the department's custody in the same manner that the department's liability is limited. - Amends TCA Title 9; Title 29 and Title 37. by *Littleton, *Ramsey, *Farmer, *White, *Mannis, *Faison, *Hawk, *Carringer. (SB2016 by *Bell, *Walley)

Further consideration of House Bill No. 1847, previously considered on March 7, 2022, at which time it was rest for today's Regular Calendar.

On motion, House Bill No. 1847 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2016**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Littleton moved that Senate Bill No. 2016 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Farmer moved that Civil Justice Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Littleton moved that **Senate Bill No. 2016** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	72
Noes	14
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Halford, Hall, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Keisling, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Moon, Ogles, Potts, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Terry, Todd, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--72

Representatives voting no were: Beck, Clemmons, Cooper, Dixie, Hakeem, Harris, Johnson G, Miller, Mitchell, Parkinson, Powell, Stewart, Thompson, Towns--14

Representatives present and not voting were: Love--1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 2616 -- Lottery, Corporation - As introduced, prohibits disclosure of a lottery winner's name and other personal information unless expressly authorized by the winner except in circumstances of debt due to a state claimant agency or in furtherance of other statutory or regulatory duties of government. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 51 and Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5. by *Holsclaw, *Miller, *Jernigan, *Helton, *Lafferty, *Terry, *Chism. (*SB2146 by *Walley)

Rep. Holsclaw moved that **House Bill No. 2616** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	88
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Joint Resolution No. 740 -- Naming and Designating - Designates the week of February 28, 2022, as "Tennessee Music Therapy Week.". by *Sparks, *Sherrell, *Byrd, *Clemmons, *Casada, *Warner, *Sexton J, *Hall, *Eldridge, *Helton, *Lynn, *Carr.

Rep. Sparks moved that **House Joint Resolution No. 740** be reset for the Regular Calendar on March 28, 2022, which motion prevailed.

- *House Bill No. 2709 -- Education As introduced, specifies who is eligible to attend a voluntary pre-kindergarten program; deletes the pilot pre-kindergarten program. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Haston. (SB2595 by *Hensley)
 - Rep. Haston moved that House Bill No. 2709 be passed on third and final consideration.
- Rep. White moved adoption of Education Administration Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2709 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-101, is amended by deleting subsection (f).
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-104, is amended by deleting the section and substituting:
 - (a) As used in this part, "at-risk children" means:
 - (1) Children who are:
 - (A) Four (4) years of age on or before August 15; and
 - (B) Members of families with incomes that meet the eligibility requirements for free or reduced-price lunch as determined pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1771; or
 - (2) Dependent children, as defined by § 49-7-102(c), who are four (4) years of age on or before August 15, whose parent was killed; died as a direct result of injuries received or has been officially reported as being either a prisoner of war or missing in action while serving honorably as a member of the United States armed forces during a qualifying period of armed conflict as defined by § 49-7-102(c); or was formerly a prisoner of war or missing in action under such circumstances, who can present:
 - (A) Official certification from the United States government that the parent veteran was killed or died as a direct result of injuries received while serving honorably as a member of the

United States armed forces during a qualifying period of armed conflict; or

- (B) Official certification from the United States government that the parent veteran has been officially reported as being a prisoner of war or missing in action while serving honorably as a member of the United States armed forces during a qualifying period of armed conflict or was formerly a prisoner of war or missing in action under such circumstances as appropriate within one hundred eighty (180) days prior to applying for services under this section.
- (b) An LEA may establish a voluntary pre-kindergarten program that serves at-risk children residing in the geographic area served by the LEA in accordance with this section. A voluntary pre-kindergarten program must be designed to comprehensively address the educational needs of children who are not otherwise eligible for similar programs or who do not have access to a pre-kindergarten program that includes, but is not limited to, the cognitive, physical, social, and emotional needs of children participating in the program.

(c)

- (1) The department shall establish an initial enrollment deadline that an LEA must use to determine if a voluntary pre-kindergarten classroom provided by the LEA has space available to enroll students in addition to at-risk children residing in the geographic area served by the LEA.
- (2) If the number of at-risk children seeking to enroll in an LEA's voluntary pre-kindergarten program on the date of the initial enrollment deadline does not meet the maximum class size of the pre-kindergarten classroom provided by the LEA as part of the LEA's voluntary pre-kindergarten program, then the LEA may enroll children who are not at-risk children, but who reside within the geographic area served by the LEA and who are:
 - (A) Four (4) years of age, with or without a disability, on or before August 15;
 - (B) Three (3) years of age on or before August 15 and:
 - (i) Who have been in the Tennessee Early Intervention System (TEIS);or
 - (ii) Who are screened and identified as educationally at-risk, as determined pursuant to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. § 1400 et seq.); or

- (C) Three (3) years of age on or before August 15, who are members of families with incomes that meet the eligibility requirements for free or reduced-price lunch, as determined pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1771.
- (d) A voluntary pre-kindergarten program established pursuant to this section must:
 - (1) Consist of a maximum class size of twenty (20);
 - (2) Have at least one (1) licensed teacher per classroom who is certified in early childhood education;
 - (3) Have at least one (1) educational assistant per classroom who holds a child development associate credential or associate degree in early childhood education, or who is actively working toward acquiring such credentials; provided, however, that if a person with such credentials is unavailable, then educational assistants who hold a high school diploma and who have relevant experience working with children in pre-kindergarten or other early childhood programs may be employed to satisfy this requirement;
 - (4) Provide a minimum of five and one-half (5.5) hours of quality instructional time per day;
 - (5) Use an educational, age-appropriate curriculum that is aligned with the early learning standards approved by the department of education and that includes, at a minimum, literacy, writing, math, and science skills;
 - (6) Have a developmental learning program that addresses the cognitive, physical, emotional, social, and communication areas of child development;
 - (7) Meet the criteria for a "high quality pre-kindergarten program," as identified by the department of education; and
 - (8) Comply with the state board of education's rules and policies related to early childhood education and pre-kindergarten programs.
 - (e) Enrollment in a voluntary pre-kindergarten program is voluntary.
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-105, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:
 - (i) Selection of voluntary pre-kindergarten program sites must take into consideration the areas of greatest need, which may be determined by, but not limited to:

- (1) School service areas with high percentages of children from families with incomes that meet the eligibility requirements for free or reduced-price lunch, as determined pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1771; or
- (2) Access to early childhood education and pre-kindergarten programs within the county.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-108(6), is amended by deleting "at risk students" and substituting "at-risk children".

SECTION 5. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Education Administration Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Haston moved that **House Bill No. 2709**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	88
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 1901 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, authorizes, beyond the 2021-2022 school year, the commissioner of education to issue temporary endorsement exemptions and temporary teaching permits for individuals to teach certain courses and subjects, including subjects for which an end-of-course assessment is administered. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Weaver, *Cepicky, *Moody, *Cochran, *Todd, *Reedy, *Terry. (SB1863 by *Hensley)

Rep. Weaver moved that House Bill No. 1901 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. White moved adoption of Education Administration Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 1901 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-1511, is amended by deleting the section.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-5-106, is amended by deleting subsection (b) and substituting instead the following:
 - (b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), the commissioner shall not grant a person, on behalf of the state board, a temporary permit to teach:
 - (1) A physical education class required under § 49-6-1021(e);
 - (2) A special education course; or
 - (3) A course for which an end-of-course examination is required, in accordance with § 49-6-6006.
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-5-106, is amended by redesignating subsection (g) as subdivision (g)(1) and adding the following as new subdivisions:
 - (2) Notwithstanding § 49-6-6006 or any other law to the contrary, upon the request of a director of schools or the director of a public charter school, as applicable, the commissioner of education may issue an endorsement exemption to a teacher to teach any course or subject area, except a physical education class required under § 49-6-1021(e) or a special education course, for the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 school years.
 - (3) Notwithstanding § 49-6-6006, subdivision (b)(3), or any other law to the contrary, the commissioner of education may renew a temporary permit issued to an individual pursuant to subdivision (g)(1) for the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 school years, except that a teaching permit issued pursuant to subdivision (g)(1) for a physical education class required under § 49-6-1021(e) shall not be renewed.
 - (4) At the end of each of the 2021-2022, 2022-2023, and 2023-2024 school years, the department of education shall report to the education committee of the senate and the education administration committee of the house of representatives the number of endorsement exemptions and temporary permits that were requested for the respective school year pursuant to this subsection (g) and the number of endorsement exemptions and temporary permits issued pursuant to this subsection (g).

SECTION 4. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Education Administration Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Weaver moved that **House Bill No. 1901**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	. 69
Noes	. 17

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Halford, Hall, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Johnson C, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, Moon, Ogles, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Sherrell, Sparks, Terry, Todd, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--69

Representatives voting no were: Clemmons, Cooper, Dixie, Hakeem, Hodges, Jernigan, Johnson G, Love, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Potts, Powell, Shaw, Stewart, Thompson, Towns-17

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 2050 -- Public Contracts - As introduced, prohibits a public entity from entering into a contract with a company unless the contract includes a written certification that the company is not currently engaged in, and will not for the duration of the contract engage in, a boycott of Israel; provides exemptions for contracts with a total value of less than \$250,000 and contractors with fewer than 10 employees. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 9 and Title 12. by *Williams, *Smith, *Wright, *White, *Weaver, *Hulsey, *Warner, *Cepicky, *Rudd, *Helton, *Moon, *Ragan, *Sherrell, *Zachary, *Kumar, *Powers, *Todd, *Reedy, *Carr, *Gillespie, *Littleton, *Terry, *Lafferty. (*SB1993 by *Watson, *Kelsey, *Bowling, *Bailey, *Bell, *Crowe, *Gardenhire, *Haile, *Hensley, *Jackson, *Massey, *Pody, *Powers, *Reeves, *Roberts, *Rose, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Walley, *White, *McNally, *Yager, *Johnson)

On motion, House Bill No. 2050 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 1993**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Williams moved that Senate Bill No. 1993 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Keisling moved that State Government Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following member has been excused, pursuant to request under **Rule No. 20:**

Representative Baum

REGULAR CALENDAR, CONTINUED

Rep. Williams moved that **Senate Bill No. 1993** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	70
Noes	13
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Halford, Hall, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Johnson C, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, Moon, Ogles, Potts, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Sherrell, Sparks, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--70

Representatives voting no were: Beck, Cooper, Dixie, Hakeem, Harris, Hodges, Johnson G, McKenzie, Miller, Parkinson, Shaw, Stewart, Towns--13

Representatives present and not voting were: Chism, Powell--2

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 2275 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, authorizes, until July 1, 2023, an emergency medical service employee who has been retired for at least nine months from TCRS from a superseded system administered by the state, or from a local retirement fund to accept employment as an emergency medical services employee without loss or suspension of retirement benefits if certain conditions met. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 36, Part 8 and Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 3. by *Williams, *Crawford, *Cepicky, *Todd, *Reedy, *Haston, *Lafferty, *White, *Littleton. (SB2876 by *Bailey)

Rep. Williams moved that House Bill No. 2275 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Keisling moved adoption of State Government Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2275 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 36, Part 8, is amended by adding the following as a new section:
 - (a) As used in this section, "emergency medical services employee" means an individual who is licensed pursuant to the Emergency Medical Services Act of 1983, compiled in title 68, chapter 140, part 3, to provide emergency medical services, as defined in § 68-140-302.
 - (b) Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, a retired member of the Tennessee consolidated retirement system or of a superseded system, or of a local retirement fund established pursuant to chapter 35, part 3 of this title, may be reemployed in a position covered by the retirement system as an emergency medical services employee without the loss or suspension of the retired member's Tennessee consolidated retirement system benefits, if:
 - (1) The retired member, as of the date of reemployment, possesses a current, valid license issued by the emergency medical services board through the department of health to provide emergency medical services;
 - (2) The retired member is not reemployed until the expiration of at least sixty (60) calendar days from the member's effective date of retirement;
 - (3) During the reemployment, the retirement benefit payable to the retired member is reduced to seventy percent (70%) of the retirement allowance the member would have otherwise been entitled to receive;
 - (4) The retired member's reemployment does not exceed one (1) year; however, the retired member may be reemployed for additional one-year periods as long as the conditions contained in this section are met for each period of reemployment;
 - (5) To fund the liability created by this section, the retired member's new employer pays to the Tennessee consolidated retirement system during each period of reemployment the greater of:
 - (A) A payment equal to the amount the employer would have contributed to the retirement system had the retired member been a member of the retirement system during the period of reemployment; or
 - (B) An amount equal to five percent (5%) of the retired member's pay rate;
 - (6) The retired member does not accrue additional retirement benefits as a result of the member's reemployment;

- (7) Upon the reemployment of the retired member, the retired member's new employer:
 - (A) Notifies the retirement system of the member's reemployment with documents or information required by the retirement system; and
 - (B) Certifies in writing to the retirement system that the retired member has the requisite experience and training for the position to be filled and that no other qualified persons are available to fill the position; and
- (8) The retiree is not drawing disability retirement benefits under chapter 36, part 5 of this title.
- (c) This section is repealed on June 30, 2025.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, State Government Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Williams moved that **House Bill No. 2275**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	88
Noes	1

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

Representatives voting no were: Dixie--1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 1995 -- Secretary of State - As introduced, removes requirement that certain statements submitted by nonprofit organizations when filing annual event applications, charitable solicitations applications, and athlete agent applications with the secretary of state be sworn under penalty of perjury; revises other related provisions. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 17, Part 1; Title 48, Chapter 101, Part 5 and Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 21. by *Vital, *Lafferty. (*SB1935 by *Jackson)

On motion, House Bill No. 1995 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 1935**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Vital moved that **Senate Bill No. 1935** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	82
Noes	5
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--82

Representatives voting no were: Clemmons, Dixie, Mitchell, Stewart, Towns--5

Representatives present and not voting were: Love--1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 2582 -- Child Abuse - As introduced, requires LEAs and public charter schools to submit the contact information of the LEA's or public charter school's child abuse coordinator and alternative child abuse coordinator to the department of children's services at the beginning of each school year; authorizes a person to report directly to the department and law enforcement when alleged child abuse involves someone who is affiliated with the school. - Amends TCA Section 49-6-1601. by *Eldridge, *Littleton, *Helton, *Moon. (*SB2239 by *Haile, *Rose, *Walley)

On motion, House Bill No. 2582 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2239**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Eldridge moved that Senate Bill No. 2239 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. White moved that Education Administration Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Eldridge moved that **Senate Bill No. 2239** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	88
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REQUEST TO CHANGE VOTE

Pursuant to **Rule No. 31**, the following member desires to change their original stand from "not voting" to "yes" on **Senate Bill No. 2239** and have this statement entered in the Journal: Rep. Hazlewood.

REGULAR CALENDAR, CONTINUED

*House Bill No. 2537 -- Medical Occupations - As introduced, clarifies that an applicant for a medication aide certificate can possess a HiSet diploma in lieu of a general equivalency diploma to fulfill that application requirement. - Amends TCA Title 63. by *Gant, *Lafferty. (SB2511 by *Massey)

Rep. Gant moved that House Bill No. 2537 be passed on third and final consideration. Rep. Terry moved adoption of Health Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2537 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-7-123(b)(5), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting:

(5)

(A) An advanced practice registered nurse with a certificate of fitness issued pursuant to this chapter, who provides services at a site remotely from the advanced practice registered nurse's collaborating physician's practice site, may

arrange for the required personal review by a collaborating physician of the advanced practice registered nurse's charts by HIPAA-compliant electronic means or in person.

- (B) An advanced practice registered nurse with a certificate of fitness issued pursuant to this chapter may arrange for up to ten (10) of the twelve (12) required annual remote site visits by a collaborating physician by HIPAA-compliant electronic means rather than at the site of the clinic. All other required site visits by a collaborating physician to a remote site must take place in person at the site of the clinic.
- (C) For purposes of this subdivision (b)(5), "HIPAA-compliant" means that the entity has implemented technical policies and procedures for electronic information systems that meet the requirements of 45 C.F.R. § 164.312.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-19-107(2)(G), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting:

(G)

- (i) A physician assistant authorized to prescribe drugs under this subdivision (2), who provides services at a site remotely from the physician assistant's collaborating physician's practice site, may arrange for the required personal review of the physician assistant's charts by a collaborating physician by HIPAA-compliant electronic means or in person;
- (ii) A physician assistant authorized to prescribe drugs under this subdivision (2), may arrange for up to ten (10) of the twelve (12) required annual remote site visits by a collaborating physician by HIPAA-compliant electronic means rather than at the site of the clinic. All other required site visits by a collaborating physician to a remote site must take place in person at the site of the clinic;
- (iii) For purposes of this subdivision (2)(G), "HIPAA-compliant" means that the entity has implemented technical policies and procedures for electronic information systems that meet the requirements of 45 C.F.R. § 164.312;
- SECTION 3. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Health Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Gant moved that **House Bill No. 2537**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	88
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 2058 -- Tobacco, Tobacco Products - As introduced, defines "smokeless nicotine product"; adds smokeless nicotine products to type of products that are age-restricted to persons aged 21 years and older under the Prevention of Youth Access to Tobacco, Smoking Hemp, and Vapor Products Act. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 15. by *Gant, *Ramsey, *White, *Thompson. (*SB2035 by *Southerland)

Rep. Gant moved that House Bill No. 2058 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Terry moved adoption of Health Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2058 by deleting SECTION 2 and substituting:

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1503, is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

"Smokeless nicotine product":

- (A) Means nicotine that is in the form of a solid, gel, gum, or paste that is intended for human consumption or placement in the oral cavity for absorption into the human body by any means other than inhalation;
 - (B) Does not include tobacco or tobacco products; and
- (C) Does not include nicotine replacement therapy products as defined and approved by the federal food and drug administration;

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting SECTION 4 and renumbering the subsequent sections accordingly.

On motion, Health Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Gant moved that **House Bill No. 2058**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	62
Noes	19
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Boyd, Bricken, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Cooper, Crawford, Doggett, Eldridge, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Halford, Hall, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, Moon, Ogles, Potts, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sherrell, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--62

Representatives voting no were: Beck, Byrd, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Faison, Hakeem, Harris, Johnson G, Love, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Parkinson, Powell, Sexton J, Shaw, Stewart, Towns--19

Representatives present and not voting were: Lafferty, Reedy, Sparks--3

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REQUEST TO CHANGE VOTE

Pursuant to **Rule No. 31**, the following member desires to change their original stand from "not voting" to "no" on **House Bill No. 2058** and have this statement entered in the Journal: Rep. Dixie.

REGULAR CALENDAR, CONTINUED

House Bill No. 2293 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires Tennessee State University (TSU) to annually submit a report to the governor and the members of the joint land grant institution funding ad hoc committee, detailing the progress of improvements to TSU's facilities and infrastructure and how the improvements address the needs identified in the Tennessee higher education commission's evaluation on facilities and infrastructure needs for TSU on September 1, 2021. - Amends TCA Title 9 and Title 49. by *Love, *Camper, *Dixie, *Windle, *Cooper, *Thompson. (*SB2216 by *Briggs, *Yarbro)

Rep. Love moved that House Bill No. 2293 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. White moved adoption of Education Administration Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2293 by deleting "the members of the joint land grant institution funding ad hoc committee" of Section 1 and substituting "the members of the general assembly".

On motion, Education Administration Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Love moved that **House Bill No. 2293**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	89
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--89

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 2308 -- Privacy, Confidentiality - As introduced, specifies that photographic evidence depicting the remains of a deceased minor is confidential and not open for inspection by members of the public; provides that the custodial parent or legal guardian of the deceased minor may waive confidentiality and allow the minor's photograph to be used and obtained in the same manner as other public records. - Amends TCA Section 10-7-504. by *Hawk, *Terry, *Carr. (SB2725 by *White)

Rep. Hawk moved that **House Bill No. 2308** be reset for the Regular Calendar on April 4, 2022, which motion prevailed.

*House Bill No. 1965 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, authorizes the City of Clarksville to allow golf carts on certain public roads within the boundaries of a certain retail and entertainment district upon the adoption of an ordinance by a two-thirds vote. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4 and Title 55, Chapter 8. by *Hodges, *Johnson C. (SB1928 by *Powers)

On motion, House Bill No. 1965 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 1928**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Hodges moved that Senate Bill No. 1928 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Howell moved that Transportation Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Hodges moved that **Senate Bill No. 1928** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

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Noes	1

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudder, Russell, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--85

Representatives voting no were: Todd--1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 2596 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, increases from 30 days to 60 days the amount of time the department of transportation must store, and during which time the owner may claim, personal property encroachments on the rights-of-way of highways that are removed by the department and determined to have value to the public. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 28; Title 29; Title 54; Title 55; Title 64; Title 65; Title 66 and Title 69. by *Hodges. (SB2468 by *Powers, *Bowling)

On motion, House Bill No. 2596 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2468**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Hodges moved that Senate Bill No. 2468 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Farmer moved that Civil Justice Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Hodges moved that **Senate Bill No. 2468** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes8	5
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--85

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 2597 -- Taxes, Ad Valorem - As introduced, clarifies authorized method for county trustee to accept partial payment of delinquent property taxes; increases, from 30 days to 35 days, the time in which a county trustee must file a plan with the comptroller of the treasury before accepting partial payment on delinquent property taxes. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7 and Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Hodges, *Miller, *Jernigan. (SB2695 by *Briggs)

Rep. Hodges moved that House Bill No. 2597 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Crawford moved adoption of Local Government Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2597 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 5, is amended by adding the following new section:
 - (a) An assessor of property may display "UNLISTED" for the first and last name in the ownership field of an online searchable database of property when the following conditions are met:
 - (1) The residential property owner files a written request with the assessor to display the ownership field for their property as "UNLISTED"; and
 - (2) The written request includes sufficient information to clearly demonstrate to the assessor that the subject property is the primary residence of the residential property owner making the request pursuant to subdivision (a)(1).
 - (b) This section does not prohibit an assessor from responding to an open records request regarding the subject property or from providing other information otherwise available for public inspection through an open records request.
- SECTION 2. This act takes effect January 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Local Government Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Hodges moved that **House Bill No. 2597**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Α	yes {	38	3

Noes	1

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

Representatives voting no were: Todd--1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 2354 -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, enacts "Noah's Law," which allows a custodial parent, under certain circumstances, to seek an emergency court order declaring a child to be in imminent danger of serious bodily injury or death and ordering the noncustodial parent to return the child to the custodial parent immediately. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 6, Part 1; Title 37 and Section 39-13-306. by *Garrett, *Lamberth, *Littleton, *Curcio, *Powell, *Russell, *Eldridge, *Lafferty, *Ogles, *Crawford, *Moon, *Cochran, *Faison, *Towns, *Sherrell, *Reedy, *Carr, *Helton, *Thompson, *Hurt, *Terry, *Jernigan, *Cepicky, *Whitson, *Carringer, *Gillespie, *Todd, *Sexton J, *Williams, *White, *Love, *Dixie. (*SB2182 by *Haile, *Bailey, *Massey, *Reeves)

On motion, House Bill No. 2354 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2182**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Garrett moved that Senate Bill No. 2182 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Farmer moved that Civil Justice Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Garrett moved that **Senate Bill No. 2182** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes89	1
Noes	ļ

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks,

Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Travis, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--89

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 1772 -- Commerce and Insurance, Dept. of - As introduced, changes, from 18 to 19 years, the minimum age someone must be for the commissioner to be authorized to approve the individual's application for an insurance producer license. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Powers. (SB1855 by *Niceley)

- Rep. Powers moved that House Bill No. 1772 be passed on third and final consideration.
- Rep. Kumar moved adoption of Insurance Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 1772 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-6-104(b), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

(12)

- (A) A medicare product marketing representative, unless licensing as an insurance producer is required under applicable CMS regulations.
 - (B) As used in this subdivision (b)(12):
 - (i) "CMS" means the federal centers for medicare and medicaid services;
 - (ii) "Medicare product" means the forms of medicare coverage under which medicare beneficiaries may obtain coverage from a risk-bearing entity, including a medicare advantage plan;
 - (iii) "Medicare product insurer" means an insurance company:
 - (a) Authorized in this state to write accident and health insurance; and
 - (b) Authorized by CMS to offer one (1) or more medicare products in this state;
 - (iv) "Medicare product marketing":

- (a) Means marketing as defined in medicare product marketing regulations and guidelines published by CMS; and
- (b) Does not include the authority to bind coverage, negotiate premiums or other terms of coverage, or receive commissions in connection with the sale of medicare advantage plans;
- (v) "Medicare product marketing representative" means an individual who:
 - (a) Is authorized by a medicare product insurer to engage in medicare product marketing on the insurer's behalf:
 - (b) Works under the supervision of a supervising agent employed by the medicare product insurer; and
 - (c) Complies with applicable CMS training and educational requirements for medicare products; and
- (vi) "Supervising agent" means an individual holding an insurance producer license for accident and health insurance who has been designated by a medicare product insurer to supervise the marketing activities of one (1) or more medicare product marketing representatives.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Insurance Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Powers moved that **House Bill No. 1772**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	88
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 2225 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, limits the time a prior misdemeanor or Class E felony may be considered for purposes of issuing an insurance producer license to within 10 years of the date upon which an individual applies for an insurance producer license. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Powers. (SB2228 by *Pody)

Rep. Powers moved that House Bill No. 2225 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Kumar moved adoption of Insurance Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2225 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-6-112, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:
 - (i) For purposes of determining whether to issue an insurance producer license to an individual pursuant to this part, the commissioner shall not consider the following offenses if the offense occurred more than ten (10) years before the date upon which an individual submits an application for a license:
 - (1) A misdemeanor; or
 - (2) A Class E felony of which the individual was charged, but not convicted.
- SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Insurance Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Powers moved that **House Bill No. 2225**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	85
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart,

Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--85

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 1871 -- Public Health - As introduced, prohibits governmental entities, local education agencies, schools, and private businesses from adopting or enforcing laws, rules, or practices that fail to recognize natural immunity as providing a level of immune protection that is at least as protective as a COVID-19 vaccine or treat individuals with natural immunity differently than individuals who have received the COVID-19 vaccine. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 8; Title 14; Title 50; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Hulsey, *Lynn, *Sherrell, *Weaver, *Zachary, *Russell, *Williams, *Boyd, *Sexton J, *Rudd, *Lafferty, *Reedy, *Cepicky, *Carr, *Ragan. (SB1982 by *Hensley, *Crowe, *Niceley)

Rep. Hulsey moved that House Bill No. 1871 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Terry moved adoption of Health Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 1871 by deleting the amendatory language of SECTION 1 and substituting:

- () "Natural immunity" means immune system resistance to COVID-19:
- (A) That is acquired naturally as the result of an individual's prior infection with COVID-19; and
- (B) Is verified by a letter from a licensed physician or documentation of a laboratory test showing sufficient antibody levels.

On motion, Health Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Hulsey moved that **House Bill No. 1871**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes 66	į
Noes20)

Representatives voting aye were: Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Halford, Hall, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Johnson C, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, Moon, Ogles, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Sherrell, Sparks, Terry, Todd, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--66

Representatives voting no were: Beck, Chism, Clemmons, Cooper, Dixie, Hakeem, Harris, Hodges, Jernigan, Johnson G, Love, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Shaw, Stewart, Thompson--20

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 2208 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, requires that motor vehicles or trailers transporting intrastate a load of logs or long pulpwood display flashing amber lights at all times rather than between sunset and sunrise and during poor weather conditions; adds that an alternative fluorescent orange flag may be displayed in lieu of a red flag on such vehicles at all times; makes other related revisions. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 9. by *Hicks T, *Howell, *Sherrell, *White, *Clemmons. (SB2196 by *Bowling)

Rep. T. Hicks moved that House Bill No. 2208 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Howell moved adoption of Transportation Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2208 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-9-405, is amended by deleting subsection (e) and substituting instead the following:

(e)

(1) Except as provided in subdivision (e)(2), a motor vehicle or trailer transporting intrastate a load of logs, long pulpwood, poles, or posts that projects four feet (4') or more beyond the rear of the body or bed of the vehicle, when the vehicle is operated on a highway or parked on the shoulder or immediately adjacent to the traveled portions of the highway, must have either of the following securely affixed as close as practical to the end of the projecting load:

(A)

(i) One (1) amber strobe-type lamp, complying with SAE J595, equipped with a multidirectional type lens so mounted as to be visible from the rear and both sides of the projecting load. If the mounting of one (1) amber strobe lamp cannot be accomplished so that it is visible from the rear and both sides of the projecting load, then multiple amber strobe lights, complying with SAE J595, must be utilized so as to meet the visibility requirements of this subdivision (e)(1)(A)(i). The amber strobe lamp must

flash at a rate of at least sixty (60) flashes per minute and be plainly visible from a distance of at least five hundred feet (500') to the rear and sides at a radius of one hundred eighty degrees (180°) of the projecting load; or

- (ii) One (1) amber light-emitting diode (LED) light, complying with SAE J595, equipped with a multidirectional type lens, mounted so as to be visible from the rear and from both sides of the projecting load; provided, that if the mounting of one (1) amber LED light cannot be accomplished so that it is visible from the rear and from both sides of the projecting load, then multiple amber LED lights, complying with SAE J595, must be utilized so as to meet the visibility requirements of this subdivision (e)(1)(A)(ii). The amber LED light must flash at a rate of at least sixty (60) flashes per minute and be plainly visible from a distance of at least five hundred feet (500') from the rear and sides at a radius of one hundred eighty degrees (180°) of the projecting load. The LED light must be constructed of durable, weather-resistant material and may be powered by the vehicle's electrical system or by an independent battery system, or both. If the LED light is powered by an independent battery system, then the driver of the vehicle must have in the driver's immediate possession charged, spare batteries for use in case of battery failure. Any solid state LED lighting that consists of multiple LED lights must not have less than eighty-five percent (85%) of the LED lights in operable condition; or
- (B) Two (2) red flags or two (2) fluorescent orange flags, or a combination of such flags, that are each at least eighteen inches (18") square, made of cloth, synthetic, or man-made material, must be so displayed.
- (2) From one-half (1/2) hour before sunset to one-half (1/2) hour after sunrise and at all other times when lights are required to be displayed, a motor vehicle or trailer transporting intrastate a load of logs, long pulpwood, poles, or posts that projects four feet (4') or more beyond the rear of the body or bed of the vehicle, when the vehicle is operated on a highway or parked on the shoulder or immediately adjacent to the traveled portions of the highway, must have the following securely affixed as close as practical to the end of the projecting load:

(A)

(i) One (1) amber strobe-type lamp, or, if applicable, multiple amber strobe lights, meeting the requirements of subdivision (e)(1)(A)(i); or

- (ii) One (1) amber light-emitting diode (LED) light, or, if applicable, multiple amber LED lights, meeting the requirements of subdivision (e)(1)(A)(ii); and
- (B) At least one (1) red flag or at least one (1) fluorescent orange flag, or both, that is at least eighteen inches (18") square, made of cloth, synthetic, or manmade material, must also be so displayed.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Transportation Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. T. Hicks moved that **House Bill No. 2208**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	85
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--85

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

- *House Bill No. 2534 -- Planning, Public As introduced, authorizes a municipal planning commission to grant variances to subdivision regulations, if such variances are adopted at a public meeting of the commission. Amends TCA Section 13-3-402 and Section 13-4-302. by *Hicks T, *Carr. (SB2692 by *Briggs)
- Rep. T. Hicks moved that House Bill No. 2534 be passed on third and final consideration.
- Rep. Crawford moved adoption of Local Government Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2534 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 13-3-402(a)(1), is amended by deleting the language "no more than two (2) lots" and substituting "no more than

twenty-five (25) lots if the development received preliminary plan approval through the regional planning commission, or five (5) lots if the development did not require preliminary plan approval through the regional planning commission"; and is further amended by deleting the language "upon certification by the planning staff of the regional planning commission" and substituting "and upon certification by the regional planning commission, or by the planning staff of the regional planning commission if the commission has delegated this responsibility to its planning staff pursuant to subsection (c),".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 13-3-402(b), is amended by deleting the first sentence and substituting:

A county register shall not receive, file, or record a plat of a subdivision, or an amendment, modification, or correction to a recorded plat of a subdivision, without the approval of the regional planning commission, or the planning staff of the regional planning commission if this responsibility has been delegated to the planning staff pursuant to subsection (c), when and as required by this part.

- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 13-3-402(c), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (c)(1) and adding the following new subdivisions:
 - (2) A regional planning commission may only delegate the responsibility for approval of a subdivision plat that includes:
 - (A) No more than twenty-five (25) lots and only if the development received preliminary plan approval through the regional planning commission; or
 - (B) No more than five (5) lots if the development did not require preliminary plan approval through the regional planning commission; provided, that:
 - (i) The subdivision complies with such regulations governing a subdivision of land as adopted by the regional planning commission pursuant to § 13-3-403;
 - (ii) No request for a variance from such regulations has been requested; and
 - (iii) A division of land requiring new road or utility construction is not approved by the planning staff under this subsection (c) unless the plan received preliminary approval by the regional planning commission.
 - (3) A regional planning commission shall not delegate to its planning staff the authority to preliminarily approve, finalize approval of, or certify a subdivision plat, regardless of the number of lots proposed for the subdivision plan, consistent with the parameters of this section, unless each county and municipal

legislative body, lying in whole or in part within, and subject to, the jurisdiction of the regional planning commission, approves such delegation by a majority vote of their respective legislative bodies.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 13-4-302(a), is amended by deleting the language "no more than two (2) lots" and substituting "no more than twenty-five (25) lots if the development received preliminary plan approval through the municipal planning commission, or five (5) lots if the development did not require preliminary plan approval through the municipal planning commission"; and is further amended by deleting the language "upon certification by the planning staff of the municipal planning commission" and substituting "upon certification by the municipal planning commission, or by the planning staff of the municipal planning commission if the commission has delegated this responsibility to its planning staff pursuant to subsection (d),".

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 13-4-302(c), is amended by deleting the first sentence and substituting:

A county register shall not file or record a plat of a subdivision of land, or an amendment, modification, or correction to a recorded plat of a subdivision, within the municipality without the approval of the municipal planning commission, or the planning staff of the municipal planning commission if this responsibility has been delegated to the staff as provided in subsection (d), as required by this part.

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 13-4-302, is amended by adding the following new subsection (d):

(d)

- (1) A municipal planning commission may delegate the responsibility for approval of a subdivision plat to the planning staff of the municipal planning commission by a majority vote of the municipal planning commission that is taken at a public meeting after being placed on the municipal planning commission's meeting agenda and notice being provided as required for other matters before the municipal planning commission.
- (2) This delegation may only include subdivision plats that include:
 - (A) No more than twenty-five (25) lots and only if the development received preliminary plan approval through the municipal planning commission; or
 - (B) No more than five (5) lots if the development did not require preliminary plan approval through the municipal planning commission; provided, that:

- (i) The subdivision complies with such regulations governing a subdivision of land as adopted by the municipal planning commission pursuant to § 13-4-303;
- (ii) No request for a variance from such regulations has been requested; and
- (iii) A division of land requiring new road or utility construction is not approved by the planning staff under this subsection (d) unless the plan received preliminary approval by the municipal planning commission.
- (3) A municipal planning commission shall not delegate to its planning staff the authority to preliminarily approve, finalize approval of, or certify a subdivision plat, regardless of the number of lots proposed for the subdivision plan, consistent with the parameters of this section, unless the municipal legislative body approves such delegation by a majority vote of the legislative body.

SECTION 7. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Local Government Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. T. Hicks moved that **House Bill No. 2534**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	65
Noes	14
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Chism, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Grills, Halford, Hall, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Moon, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Thompson, Todd, Vaughan, Warner, White, Whitson, Williams, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--65

Representatives voting no were: Beck, Cepicky, Clemmons, Dixie, Hakeem, Harris, Johnson G, Mitchell, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Stewart, Towns, Windle--14

Representatives present and not voting were: Cooper, Doggett, Gillespie, Ogles, Vital--5

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 2349 -- Beer - As introduced, extends the deadline, from 20 days after entering business to 30 days, before which a manufacturer or wholesaler of beer must register

the name and address of the manufacturer or wholesaler with the commissioner of revenue. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 5. by *Holsclaw. (SB2269 by *Lundberg)

Rep. Holsclaw moved that House Bill No. 2349 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Crawford moved adoption of Local Government Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2349 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-5-101(g)(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting:
 - (1) Notwithstanding subdivision (a)(2), a manufacturer brewing not more than twenty-five thousand (25,000) barrels of beer or high alcohol content beer, or both, annually and operating as a retailer pursuant to subsection (c) may self-distribute the beer that it manufactures directly to retailers:
 - (A) Inside the county in which the manufacturer is located; or
 - (B) Inside and outside the county in which the manufacturer is located, if the manufacturer:
 - (i) Self-distributes not more than one thousand eight hundred (1,800) barrels of such manufacturer's beer annually; and
 - (ii) Is not prohibited from self-distribution in the particular county by the manufacturer's contract with a beer wholesaler.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-5-101(g)(2)(A), is amended by deleting the language "outside the county in which the manufacturer is located".
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-5-101(g)(2)(B), is amended by deleting the language "If a manufacturer self-distributes" and substituting instead the language "If a manufacturer self-distributing pursuant to subdivision (g)(1)(B) self-distributes".
- SECTION 4. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Local Government Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Holsclaw moved that **House Bill No. 2349**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	75
Noes	10
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudder, Russell, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Mr. Speaker Sexton--75

Representatives voting no were: Byrd, Cepicky, Dixie, Doggett, Grills, Haston, Ogles, Rudd, Sexton J, Zachary--10

Representatives present and not voting were: Powers--1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 2551 -- Purchasing and Procurement - As introduced, requires that materials related to competitive sealed bid proposals be open for public inspection after the intent to award the contract is announced; authorizes local governments to require interviews, presentations, or demonstrations for purposes of clarifying or understanding the bid proposal; prohibits disclosure of information from such interviews, presentations, or demonstrations to another respondent during negotiations for the contract. - Amends TCA Section 12-3-1207. by *Mannis, *Whitson. (*SB2106 by *Yager)

On motion, House Bill No. 2551 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2106**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Mannis moved that **Senate Bill No. 2106** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes88	3
Noes)

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks,

Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 2466 -- Local Government, General - As introduced, prohibits a local government from providing monetary assistance to an elective abortion provider. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9, Chapter 3 and Title 71. by *Leatherwood, *Gant, *Sherrell, *Lamberth, *Littleton, *Bricken, *Howell, *Vital, *Williams, *Eldridge, *Grills, *Keisling, *Rudder, *Helton, *Russell, *Lafferty, *Zachary, *Cochran, *Powers, *Boyd, *Faison, *Ogles, *Reedy, *Cepicky, *Todd, *Lynn, *Carr, *Doggett, *Ragan, *Hawk, *Hurt, *Terry, *Sexton J, *White. (SB2444 by *Bell)

Rep. Leatherwood moved that **House Bill No. 2466** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	67
Noes	20

Representatives voting aye were: Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Halford, Hall, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Johnson C, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, Moon, Ogles, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Sherrell, Sparks, Terry, Todd, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--67

Representatives voting no were: Beck, Chism, Clemmons, Cooper, Dixie, Hakeem, Harris, Hodges, Jernigan, Johnson G, Love, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Shaw, Stewart, Towns--20

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 2550 -- Traffic Safety - As introduced, increases, from a maximum of \$50 to the amount of \$200, the fine imposed for a first violation of the requirement to stop upon approaching a school bus that is based solely on evidence from a camera that is installed on the school bus. - Amends TCA Section 55-8-151. by *Lafferty, *Thompson, *Towns, *Todd, *Carr, *Whitson, *White, *Doggett, *Jernigan, *Gillespie, *Hurt. (SB2512 by *Massey)

On motion, House Bill No. 2550 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 2512**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Lafferty moved that **Senate Bill No. 2512** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	84
Noes	1

Present and r	not votina	

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--84

Representatives voting no were: Byrd--1

Representatives present and not voting were: Warner--1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 813 -- Food and Food Products - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Food Freedom Act" to specify circumstances when persons may sell homemade food products without meeting certain permitting and licensure requirements. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 43; Title 53 and Title 68. by *Lafferty, *Griffey, *Reedy, *Gant, *Campbell S, *Cepicky, *Keisling, *Rudder, *Williams, *Faison, *Sexton J, *Hodges, *Lamberth, *Grills, *Hurt, *Eldridge, *Chism, *Mannis, *White, *Carringer, *McKenzie, *Hicks T, *Cochran, *Boyd, *Hall, *Weaver, *Powell, *Carr, *Doggett, *Curcio, *Lynn. (*SB693 by *Niceley, *Bowling, *Crowe)

On motion, House Bill No. 813 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 693**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Lafferty moved that Senate Bill No. 693 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Halford moved that Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Hazlewood moved adoption of Finance, Ways, and Means Committee Amendment No. 1, as House Amendment No. 2, as follows:

Amendment No. 2

AMEND Senate Bill No. 693 by deleting SECTION 4, SECTION 5, and SECTION 6 and substituting:

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 53-1-204(a)(1), is amended by deleting the language "Except as provided in subsection (c), no person shall manufacture" and substituting the language "Except as provided in Section 3 of this act, a person shall not manufacture".

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 53-1-204, is amended by deleting subsections (c) and (d).

SECTION 6. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Finance, Ways, and Means Committee Amendment No. 1, as House Amendment No. 2, was adopted.

Rep. Lafferty moved that **Senate Bill No. 693**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	82
Noes	3
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--82

Representatives voting no were: Cooper, Hazlewood, Towns--3

Representatives present and not voting were: Gillespie, Ogles--2

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

PRESENT IN CHAMBER

Rep. Hardaway was recorded as being present in the Chamber.

REGULAR CALENDAR, CONTINUED

House Bill No. 2660 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, authorizes the department of commerce and insurance to promulgate rules regarding pharmacy benefits managers. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 56. by *Sexton C, *Lafferty, *Russell, *Eldridge, *Reedy, *Todd. (*SB2457 by *Reeves)

Rep. Lafferty moved that House Bill No. 2660 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Ragan moved adoption of Government Operations Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 2660 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-7-3101, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and adding the following new subsection:

(b)

- (1) The commissioner of commerce and insurance shall promulgate rules to effectuate the purposes of this part and part 32 of this chapter, including, but not limited to, rules to:
 - (A) Implement pharmacy benefits manager audits that are necessary to ensure compliance with this part and part 32 of this chapter;
 - (B) Provide for additional requirements for pharmacy benefits managers to obtain licensure pursuant to § 56-7-3113;
 - (C) Implement a complaint and administrative hearing process to effectuate § 56-7-3110; and
 - (D) Provide for such fees as the commissioner determines are reasonably necessary to administer this part and part 32 of this chapter, including, but not limited to, a fee to cover the cost of supervising compliance with this part and part 32 of this chapter, payable by a pharmacy benefits manager upon being the subject of an audit pursuant to this section.
- (2) Rules must be promulgated in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5. A violation of any rule issued pursuant to this section is a violation of this part.
- SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Government Operations Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Lafferty moved that **House Bill No. 2660**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Α	Ves	8

Noes(

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--87

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE CALENDAR

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

*House Bill No. 563 -- Bail, Bail Bonds - As introduced, changes a professional bondsman's capacity with regard to collateral pledged as cash or an item readily converted to cash from 10 times to 20 times. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 11. by *Moody, *Dixie, *Griffey, *Hawk, *Doggett. (SB472 by *Rose)

Senate Amendment No. 2

AMEND House Bill No. 563 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-11-302(e)(1), is amended by deleting the language "ten (10) times the amount of the collateral pledged" and substituting instead the language "fifteen (15) times the amount of the collateral pledged".

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

Rep. Doggett moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 2 to **House Bill No. 563**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes85	5
Noes()

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Harris, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan,

Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--85

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE AMENDMENTS

*House Bill No. 1843 -- Health Care - As introduced, expands the definition of provider-based telemedicine to include HIPAA compliant audio-only conversations for the provision of healthcare services beyond behavioral health services when other means are unavailable. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Terry, *Smith, *Cepicky, *Hazlewood, *Love. (SB1846 by *Watson, *Crowe, *Reeves, *Stevens, *Yarbro)

Senate Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 1843 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-7-1003(a)(6), is amended by deleting subdivision (C) and substituting:
 - (C) Notwithstanding subdivisions (a)(6)(A) and (B), includes Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) (42 U.S.C. § 1320d et seq.) compliant audio-only conversation for the provision of:
 - (i) Behavioral health services when the means described in subdivision (a)(6)(A) are unavailable; and
 - (ii) Healthcare services when the means described in subdivision (a)(6)(A) are unavailable;
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 56-7-1003, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:
 - (k) A healthcare provider, office staff, or party acting on behalf of the healthcare provider submitting for reimbursement of an audio-only encounter under subdivision (a)(6)(C)(ii) shall:
 - (1) Confirm and maintain documentation that the patient:
 - (A) Does not own the video technology necessary to complete an audio-video provider-based telemedicine encounter;
 - (B) Is at a location where an audio-video encounter cannot take place due to lack of service; or

- (C) Has a physical disability that inhibits the use of video technology; and
- (2) Notify the patient that the financial responsibility for the audioonly encounter will be consistent with the financial responsibility for other in-person or video encounters, prior to the audio-only telemedicine encounter.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

Rep. Terry moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Bill No. 1843**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes 8	8
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr, Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism, Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Dixie, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Harris, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton--88

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. Lamberth moved that the rules be suspended in order to allow **House Bill No. 2659** to be heard in the State Government Committee this week, which motion prevailed.

NOTICE TO ACT ON SENATE MESSAGES

Pursuant to **Rule No. 59**, notice was given that the following measures from the Senate would be considered on March 24, 2022:

Senate Bill No. 2448: by Rep. Farmer

House Bill No. 1838: by Rep. Cepicky

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Joint Resolution No. 740 Reps. Clemmons, Casada, Warner, J. Sexton, Hall, Eldridge, Helton, Lynn and Carr as prime sponsors.

House Joint Resolution No. 974 Rep. Russell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1445 Reps. Kumar and Alexander as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1735 Rep. C. Sexton as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1918 Rep. Casada as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2103 Rep. G. Hicks as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2147 Rep. Sherrell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2159 Rep. Casada as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2201 Rep. Jernigan as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2308 Reps. Terry and Carr as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2516 Rep. Lynn as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2535 Rep. Williams as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2536 Rep. Williams as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2659 Rep. Miller as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2665 Rep. Gant as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2777 Rep. Grills as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2778 Rep. T. Hicks as prime sponsor.

SPONSORS WITHDRAWN

On Motion, Rep. Dixie withdrew as sponsor of House Bill No. 751.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, SB 2616; The Senate nonconcurred in House Amendment No(s). HA1.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 2670; substituted for Senate Bill on same subject, amended, and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 504, 1667, 1668, 1983, 2002, 2087, 2124, 2270, 2406, 2418, 2522, 2551, 2574, 2650, 2682, 2723, 2750 and 2790; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

*Senate Bill No. 504 -- Financial Responsibility Law - As introduced, increases from \$15,000 to \$25,000 the minimum amount of insurance coverage for property damage in any one accident that is required for a split-limit motor vehicle insurance policy to qualify as proof of financial security under the financial responsibility law for policies issued or renewed after December 31, 2021. - Amends TCA Title 55 and Title 56. by *Lundberg. (HB1134 by *Farmer)

*Senate Bill No. 1667 -- Special License Plates - As introduced, extends, from 30 to 45 days, the time frame in which a noncompliant applicant to whom a Tennessee Sheriff's Association registration plate has been issued must surrender the plate to the county clerk. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4. by *Massey. (HB1655 by *Howell)

*Senate Bill No. 1668 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, increases, from 10 to 15 days, the amount of time a utility owner has to provide certain notices to the department of transportation (TDOT) regarding the relocation of utility infrastructure within a right-of-way. - Amends TCA Title 54. by *Massey. (HB1654 by *Howell)

Senate Bill No. 1983 -- Secretary of State - As introduced, extends the period of reduced fees payable to the secretary of state relating to nonprofit charitable gaming and the solicitation of charitable funds. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 17, Part 1 and Title 48, Chapter 101, Part 5. by *Hensley, *Walley. (*HB1979 by *Bricken, *Whitson, *Crawford, *Gillespie, *Todd, *Freeman, *Keisling, *Halford, *Holsclaw, *Beck, *Chism, *Calfee, *Hicks T, *Ogles, *Littleton, *Byrd, *Thompson, *Sherrell, *Moon, *Hawk, *Eldridge, *Windle, *Ramsey, *Hurt, *Sexton J, *Ragan)

Senate Bill No. 2002 -- Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, specifies that for purposes of postponement of trial in forcible entry and detainer proceedings, the term "civil court" includes diversionary courts created for special civil proceedings. - Amends TCA Section 29-18-118. by *Bell. (*HB1730 by *Curcio)

- **Senate Bill No. 2087** -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, requires that a person convicted of aggravated assault that involved the use or display of a deadly weapon be punished one classification higher than otherwise provided by law if the violation was committed by discharging a firearm. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13. by *Rose. (*HB2009 by *Gillespie)
- *Senate Bill No. 2124 -- Schools, Charter As introduced, revises various provisions relative to charter schools. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13. by *Gardenhire. (HB2468 by *Baum)
- *Senate Bill No. 2270 -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, authorizes a special occasion licensee to designate an area in which liquor-by-the-drink licensees may sell alcoholic beverages and beer to patrons who may consume the alcoholic beverages and beer anywhere in the designated area; authorizes a festival operator licensee to provide a list of the liquor-by-the-drink licensees that will sell alcoholic beverages and beer to patrons in the designated area of the festival. Amends TCA Title 57. by *Lundberg. (HB2514 by *Crawford)
- **Senate Bill No. 2406** -- Education As introduced, revises various provisions relative to computer science education. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Johnson, *Akbari. (*HB2153 by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Haston, *White, *Mannis)
- **Senate Bill No. 2418** -- Parks, Natural Areas Preservation As introduced, enacts the "State Parks Funding Act of 2022." Amends TCA Section 11-3-120 and Title 11, Chapter 3, Part 3. by *Johnson, *Southerland, *Walley, *Yager. (*HB2168 by *Lamberth, *Gant)
- *Senate Bill No. 2522 -- District Attorneys As introduced, revises the pay schedule for assistant district attorneys. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 14 and Title 8, Chapter 7. by *Yager. (HB2762 by *Doggett, *Hicks G)
- **Senate Bill No. 2551** -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration As introduced, authorizes issuance of a disabled veteran registration plate without payment of a fee to a veteran with a service-connected disability that is determined by the United States department of veterans affairs to be permanent and total due to individual unemployability. Amends TCA Section 55-4-256. by *Jackson. (*HB2322 by *Grills)
- **Senate Bill No. 2574** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities As introduced, requires nursing homes and assisted-care living facilities to permit at least one family member or resident representative who meets certain conditions to visit a resident of the facility during end-of-life situations if a disaster, emergency, or public health emergency for COVID-19 has been declared. Amends TCA Title 14 and Title 68, Chapter 11. by *Crowe. (*HB2535 by *Alexander, *Byrd, *Griffey, *Williams)
- **Senate Bill No. 2650** -- Disabled Persons As introduced, makes various changes to the system established by the commissioner of human services for providing rehabilitation centers for persons with disabilities; changes the name of the advisory board for rehabilitation centers to the advisory board for community-based vocational rehabilitation services; extends the new board to June 30, 2027. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49, Chapter 11, Part 7. by *Johnson, *Jackson. (*HB2801 by *Lamberth, *Gant, *Sherrell)

Senate Bill No. 2682 -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, expands the offenses for which certain items may be seized utilizing criminal asset forfeiture. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 16; Title 17; Title 19; Title 20; Title 29; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Rose. (*HB2271 by *Ogles, *Griffey)

Senate Bill No. 2723 -- Children - As introduced, increases, from seven to nine hours, the maximum amount of time an individual child may remain in a child care drop-in center per day; removes the distinction between daytime, weekday hours and nighttime or weekend hours. - Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 3, Part 5. by *White, *Yarbro. (*HB2559 by *Terry)

Senate Bill No. 2750 -- Charitable Solicitations - As introduced, exempts a child care agency from the registration requirements for charitable organizations. - Amends TCA Title 48, Chapter 101. by *Akbari. (*HB2611 by *Johnson G)

Senate Bill No. 2790 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, requires the commissioner of revenue to issue temporary plates of a new distinctive design beginning January 1, 2023; creates the offense of counterfeiting temporary plates. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4. by *Yarbro. (*HB2754 by *Harris, *Powell, *Towns, *Clemmons)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 765, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963 and 964; concurred in by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bills Nos. 2304, 2655, 2683 and 2783; substituted for Senate Bills on same subject and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 21, 2022

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 927, 928, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946 and 947; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED March 21, 2022

The roll call was taken with the following results:

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Bills Nos. 1658. 1733, 1801, 1943, 1991, 2152, 2325, 2429, 2435, 2486, 2516, 2531, 2563, 2704, 2812 and 2916.

TAMMY LETZLER, Chief Clerk

ROLL CALL

Present 88 Representatives present were Beck, Boyd, Bricken, Byrd, Calfee, Campbell S, Carr,

Carringer, Casada, Cepicky, Chism. Clemmons, Cochran, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Doggett, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Gant, Garrett, Gillespie, Grills, Hakeem, Halford, Hall, Hardaway, Harris, Haston, Hawk, Hazlewood, Helton, Hicks G, Hicks T, Hodges, Holsclaw, Howell, Hulsey, Hurt, Jernigan, Johnson C, Johnson G, Keisling, Kumar, Lafferty, Lamberth, Leatherwood, Littleton, Love, Lynn, Mannis, Marsh, McKenzie, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Ogles, Parkinson, Potts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Russell, Sexton J, Shaw, Sherrell, Sparks, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Todd, Towns, Vaughan, Vital, Warner, Weaver, White, Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wright, Zachary, Mr. Speaker Sexton -- 88

RECESS

On motion of Rep. Gant, the House stood in recess until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, March 24, 2022.